

(Rep. No. 273.)

FEBRUARY 13, 1839.

Read twice, and committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Mr. ATHERTON, from the Committee of Ways and Means, reported the following bill :

A BILL

For the relief of Thomas Latham.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That*
3 Thomas Latham be, and he is hereby, released from a judg-
4 ment recovered against him by the United States in the dis-
5 trict court of the United States for the district of Pamplico,
6 in the district of North Carolina, as surety of Lewis Leroy,
7 on a bond to the United States to secure the payment of the
8 sum of three hundred and sixty-one dollars and seven and a half
9 cents, the amount of duties on a cargo imported by said
10 Lewis : *Provided, That* nothing in this act contained shall
11 be construed to release any other person or persons than the
12 said Thomas Latham ; nor shall it be so construed as to
13 release him from the payment of the costs of recovering said
14 judgment.